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IMMEDIATE RELEASE

UNIVERSITY OF SAN DIEGO COMMITTEE SEEKS PRESIDENT

SAN DIEGO, Calif.--A committee to search for a new president of the University of San Diego has been appointed. The committee was established by the boards of trustees of the University and the San Diego College for Women, the two corporations represented on the Alcala Park campus.

The president, when appointed, will be the top administrator for the coordinate colleges and school of law. Currently in these positions are Msgr. John E. Baer as president of the USD College for Men and School of Law, and Sister Nancy Morris, RSCJ., president of the College for Women.

The committee held its first meeting Sunday (June 7) and the Rev. William Shipley, chairman of the philosophy department at USD, was elected chairman. "The committee represents all sections of the campus community," said Father Shipley. "It includes trustees, administrators, faculty and students."

Ex officio members are the Most Rev. Leo T. Maher, Bishop of San Diego, who is chairman of the USD board of trustees, and Gilbert R. Fox, vice-president Bank of America, who is chairman of the College for Women Board of trustees.

During the past two years unification of the separate institutions on the campus has been achieved in academic and student affairs, and all classes are coeducational.

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The committee will seek prospective candidates for the presidency and report regularly on progress, according to Father Shipley.

Members of the committee, apart from Bishop Maher, Mr. Fox and Father Shipley are: Mrs. Roy Fitzgerald (USD trustee), Dr. Anita Figueredo (College for Women trustee), Sister Nancy Morris (administrator), Msgr. John E. Baer (administrator), Prof. Joseph Brock (law school administrator), Dr. Ernest Morin (faculty), Prof. Frank Engfeldt (law school faculty), William R. Winship (student bar association), Deborah Comfort (USD associated students).

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